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Dear Sir:

Applicants' representative herein submits the documents/information required by the Examiner, and further requests a waiver of fee for a one month of extension. It is respectfully submitted that the Office Action was not timely received as a result of USPTO error.